



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : Mark S. Scheib Confirmation No. 1810  
Application No. : 10/750,501  
Filed : December 31, 2003  
Title : CATHETER HAVING CIRCULAR ABLATION ASSEMBLY  
  
Grp./Div. : 3739  
Examiner : Peter J. Vrettakos  
  
Docket No. : 51644/W112

Commissioner for Patents  
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September 11, 2006

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated May 11, 2006 for one month(s) from August 11, 2006 to September 11, 2006.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	Fee
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 60	\$ 120	\$120
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 225	\$ 450	\$
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 510	\$ 1020	\$
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 795	\$1590	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1080	\$2160	\$

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 120 to cover the cost of the extension.

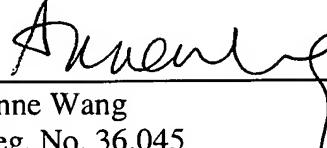
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number

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with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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